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Governor to hold natural resource tour

The 2005 Governor's Natural Resource Tour will be held September 26-27 in Park and Big Horn Counties. The invitation-only tour will be attended by a variety of different participants including county commissioners, legislators, state agency directors and other influential citizens from around the state. An agenda for the tour is listed below:

Monday, September 26

7:00 a.m. Depart Cody to Shreve Lodge, Buffalo Bill State Park
7:30 a.m. Breakfast and welcome at Shreve Lodge
9:15 a.m. Wapiti School presentation on Living with Grizzly Bears, Wolves and local topics
10:00 a.m. Wapiti Ranger Station, Shoshone National Forest. Discuss forest health and recreation.
11:30 a.m. Clark Fish Hatchery tour and presentation
12:00 p.m. Clark Recreation Center. Lunch and discussion of Split Estate Issues
2:30 p.m. Powell Workforce Development Center and State Seed Lab
5:00 p.m. Tour towns of Powell and Cody
6:30 p.m. Dinner at Cassie's Supper Club in Cody.

Tuesday, September 27

7:00 a.m. Depart hotels. Breakfast at VFW Hall served by the American Legion
9:00 a.m. Whites Drain project near Byron; discussion of water quality and wetlands
10 a.m. Frannie, Deaver and Cowley
10:45 a.m. Lovell Sugar Beet Factory
12:00 p.m. Lunch at Lovell Fire Station; youth panel discussion
1:45 p.m. Devil's Canyon overlook
3:00 p.m. Town of Greybull
4:30 p.m. Town of Basin
5:30 p.m. Town of Otto
6:15 p.m. Dinner at Burlington Fire Station featuring all regionally grown products

Note: A multitude of issues, topics, presentations and discussions will occur at select sites and in-transit throughout the Tour. We will be making multiple stops along this route and have over 50 topics and speakers lined up.

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